



Town of Stow
380 Great Road, Stow, MA 01775
Assessors: (978) 897-4597
COA: (978) 897-1880

PROPERTY TAX WORK-OFF PROGRAM
(General Laws Chapter 59 Section 5K)

Fiscal Year 2023 APPLICATION – SHORT FORM
(FOR APPLICANTS WHO PARTICIPATED LAST YEAR)
This application is not open to Public Inspection

NAME: _____ TEL. #: _____
PLEASE PRINT

EMAIL: _____

ADDRESS: _____ STOW, MA 01775

SOURCES OF INCOME FROM 2020 CALENDAR YEAR
(Please provide verification for all sources of income)

<u>SOURCE:</u>	<u>GROSS ANNUAL AMOUNT:</u> <i>(Total Household)</i>
Wages, Salaries, and other Compensation.....	\$ _____
Interest.....	\$ _____
Ordinary & Qualified Dividends.....	\$ _____
Capital Gain.....	\$ _____
IRA Distributions.....	\$ _____
Pension & Annuities.....	\$ _____
Rental Income.....	\$ _____
Social Security Benefits.....	\$ _____
Supplemental Security Income (SSI).....	\$ _____
Other Income.....	\$ _____

TOTAL GROSS ANNUAL INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES: \$ _____

Applications should be filled out using the exact figures from the applicant's Income Tax Form from the previous year. Please **attach a copy of your 2020 Federal Income Tax Returns** to determine eligibility for this program. (If you did not file taxes, submit an estimate of Gross Annual Income for 2020.)

Positions are available in a variety of Town Departments. Please indicate in which areas you would prefer to work. (Please check all potentials departments).

COA Office ____ Town Building ____ Schools ____ Library ____ Other: _____

This application has been prepared or examined by me. Under the pains and penalties of perjury, I declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, it and all accompanying documents and statements are true, correct, and complete.

If I am accepted as a participant in the Stow Property Tax Work-off Program, I understand that rate of pay cannot exceed the State minimum wage, which is currently **\$13.50** per hour for calendar year 2021 and **\$14.25** for calendar year 2022. The maximum yearly benefit per household is **\$1,500** (which is approximately 105 to 111 hours, depending on the months worked) and will be credited as a reduction to my Town of Stow Real Estate tax bill for fiscal year **2023**, after federal Medicare and OBRA deductions.

Participants **MUST** observe the rules of confidentiality. Confidentiality means that anything seen or heard during work assignments that relates to other town residents or employees **MUST NOT** be shared with anyone.

Applicant's Signature

Date

The Town of Stow reserves the right to discontinue a volunteer's participation in the program if the Town deems the volunteer's participation to be detrimental to the volunteer, the program, or the Town.

Once completed, please return this application with a copy of your most recent Federal Income Tax Return to the Assessors' Office at 380 Great Road. You may not commence any assignment till the Board of Assessors has approved your participation in the Property Tax Work-off Program.

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ASSESSORS' USE ONLY

The applicant: Meets ____ Does Not Meet ____ the qualifications for the Property Tax Work-Off Program.

Board of Assessors

Date